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Review of J.R.Y.

898. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have taken a decision to review the Jawahar Rojgar Yojana; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken in this regard so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) and (b). The Government has taken-up the work of Concurrent Evaiuation of Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (JRY) to assess its impact in rural areas in relation to the stated objectives of the programme. The review of the J.R.Y. will be considered in the light of the findings of the Concurrent Evaluation.

In the course of Concurrent Evaiuation which has already been launched, the impact of the programme on the type of assets created under the J.R.Y., its usefulness to the society in general and poor sections of the community in particular and the contribution of J.R.Y. to the welfare of the families below poverty line will be the main points of the Evaiuation.

Revival of closed Public Sector Undertakings

899. SHRI BHUBANESHWAR PRASAD MEHTA:Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of public undertakings lying closed in the country and the number of labourers who were working therein; and

(b) the details of the plan of the Government to revive the closed public undertakings and to provide jobs to the labourers who were rendered jobless?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHIR P.K. THUNGON): (a) There is no Central Public Sector Undertakings lying closed in the country.

(b) Does not arise.

[*English*]

Implementation of National Capital Region Plan

900. SHRI SANAT KUMAR MANDAL: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the ambitious National Capital Region (NCR) Plan, aimed at decongesting capital city, has gone away;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the progress made so far to shift the various Central Government subordinate offices as also of public sector undertakings like NTPC, BHEL, FCI and others outside Delhi to relieve the congestion;

(d) whether the Union Government is drawing up a comprehensive policy for the development of the NCR and to decongest Delhi; and

(e) if so, the broad features thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHIR M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The Offices of National Labour Institute and National Vocational Training Insti-